

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD  
LAHONTAN REGION**

**MEETING OF NOVEMBER 4-5, 2015  
BARSTOW**

**PROPOSED CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT ORDER (CAO) TO PACIFIC GAS AND  
ELECTRIC COMPANY (PG&E) FOR ITS DISCHARGES OF CHROMIUM TO  
GROUNDWATER IN THE HINKLEY AREA**

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Please make the below corrections to Item 6:

1. Page 6-18, Finding 34 b), delete “directly and unequivocally.”
2. Page 6-18, Finding 34 c), change 0.02 to 0.2ppb.
3. Page 6-18, Finding 34 c), add sentence to end of Finding on page 6-19, “An evaluation of the remediation feasibility, and additional geochemical and hydrogeological data from the transition zone between the upper and lower aquifer is needed before a cleanup level can be set for the lower aquifer.”
4. Page 6-22, Finding 47, remove last sentence regarding Division of Drinking Water advice.
5. Page 6-24, add the following four Findings about the Sept 1 draft and 30-day comment period, Sept 16 workshop, Sept 30 comments received, and the October Proposed CAO:

58. On September 1, 2015, the Water Board’s Advisory Team released a draft CAO for a 30-day public comment period. That draft CAO incorporated all the consensus points the Water Board received on July 8, 2015.

59. On September 16, 2015, at its regular meeting in Barstow, the Water Board held a public workshop on the September 1 draft CAO to receive input.

60. On September 30, 2015, the Water Board received eleven comment letters on the September 1, 2015, draft CAO.

61. On October 16, 2015, the Water Board’s Advisory Team released the Proposed CAO for public review showing recommended changes from the September 1, 2015, draft CAO version.

6. Page 6-25, Order IV.B, add “IV.A.1.”
7. Page 6-33, Order VII.2.b), add underlined text:

Within 21 days of identifying an affected well, PG&E must consult with the Division of Drinking Water to determine if it has registered any technologies as being able to address Cr(VI) in drinking water and determine if there are any new technologies available that were not previously considered in their long-term plan and assess, after consultation with the well owner, which method for long-term replacement water would best fit the individual circumstances of the well owner(s), and submit that information to the Water Board’s Executive Officer. **Within 30 days** of that submittal and written authorization from the well owner for the installation of a long-term replacement drinking and cooking water supply, PG&E shall implement the workplan to provide a long-term replacement drinking and cooking water supply for all affected wells, as defined in Finding 46.